

EDRMA

Introduction

This document is intended to provide a schematic synopsis of E-Dialog Response Management Architecture (EDRMA).

Thereby it is hoped that the design of the Verbind E-Mail Channel Server (ECS) can best accommodate EDRMA's input requirements, and so EDRMA's output requirements may be adjusted to match those of Verbind LifeTime's architecture (VLTA)

“First, some acronyms...” - *Anonymous*

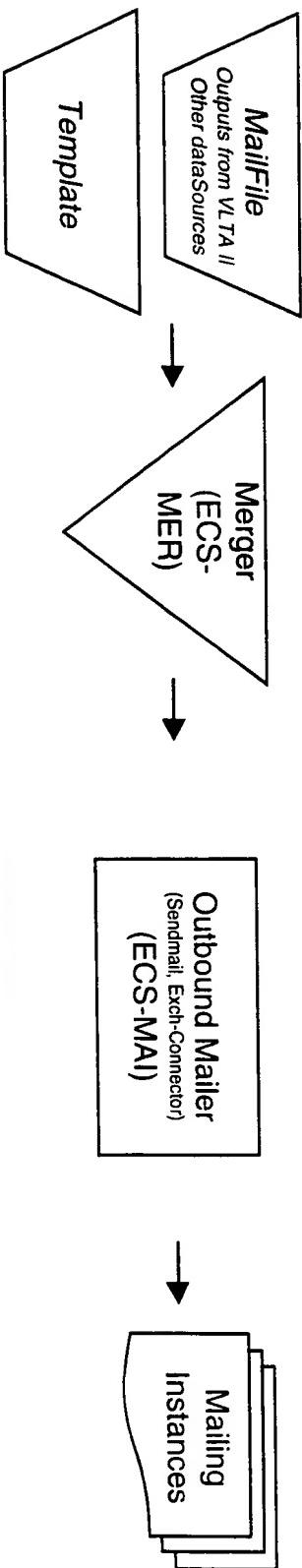


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Relevant Modules - Top [0.1]

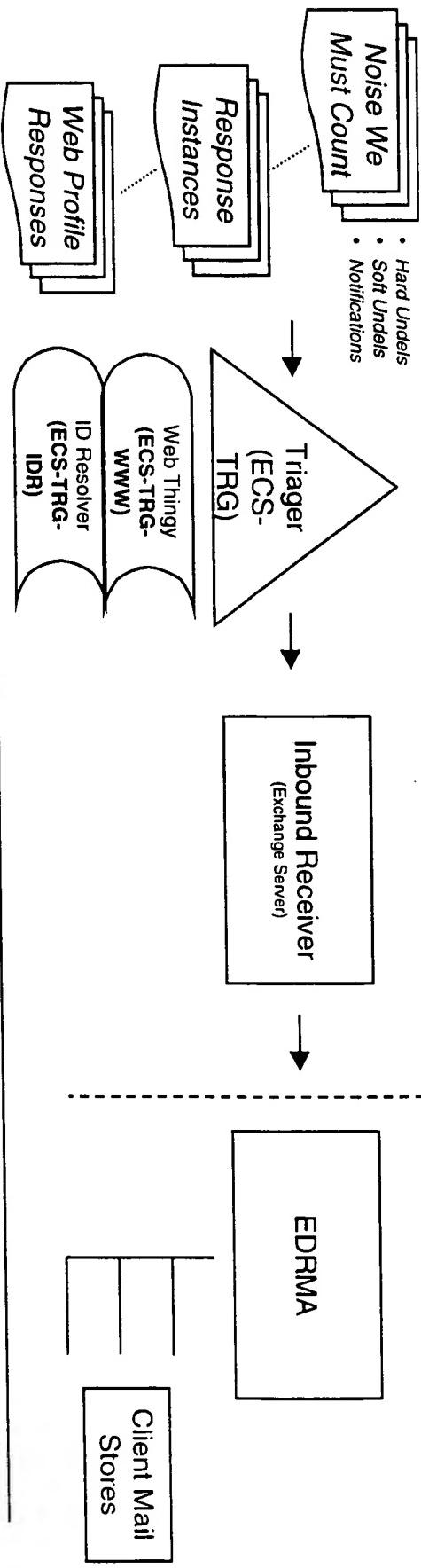
Where EDRMA Fits w/ECS

OUTBOUND



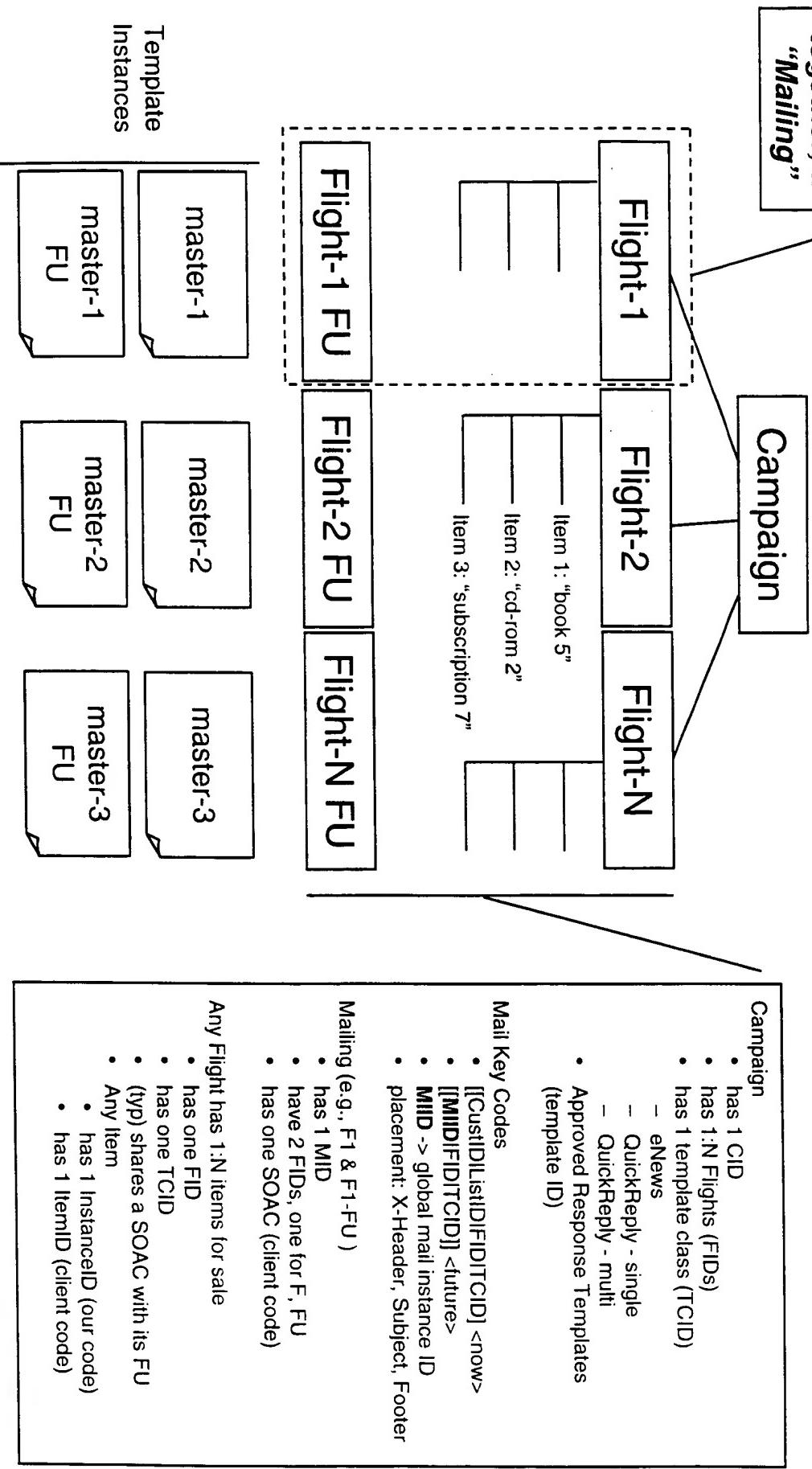
Bold modules indicate ECS modules

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Data Entity Relationships [0.5] Model



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Canonical Data Structures - Exchange Server Data Store [0.2]

Mailbox - <ClientFullName> (*not alias: "nbsp"*)

<CampaignName>[<CID>]

- ApprovedResponseTemplates <templateID>

- <FlightName>[<FID>]

- AC (*i.e., "Advocacy Care"*)

- + <date: YYMMDDhhmm>

- ADDCHANGE

- + <date: YYMMDDhhmm>

- HARDBOUNCES (*i.e., hard undelivereds... "jsmith@foo.com is not a valid addressee"*)

- + <date: YYMMDDhhmm>

- INBOX (monolithic, **this Mailbox**)

- MASTER (contains master template, **this FID**)

- ORDERS

- + <date: YYMMDDhhmm>

- » [[custID|listID|FlightID|TCID]] < footer tags (x-header, subject)

- SOFTBOUNCES

- + DELIVERYNOTIFICATIONS

- » <date: YYMMDDhhmm>

- + AUTORESPONDERS

- » <date: YYMMDDhhmm>

- + UNKNOWN

- » <date: YYMMDDhhmm>

- UNCLEAR

- + <date: YYMMDDhhmm>

- UNSUBS

- + <date: YYMMDDhhmm>

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Selected Applications

VBA.PKinboxInspector

interface: GUI / VBA

data: MAPI

inbox sorting, folder management application
VBA.PKresponseProcessor

interface: GUI / VBA

data: MAPI

response review and report preparation application
PL.AEprocOrder()

interface: commandline

data: ADO 2.0

process raw "order e-mails" by TCID
uses cf file rulesets for document preprocessing and data element parsing tied to CID; other rules, hardcoded generates:

Acceptable output for review, annotated

Exceptions, annotated

Truncated BODYs, annotated

Raw fields output, annotated

Raw fields exceptions , annotated

Rule-eval log (exhaustive)

PL.AEprocBatchPrep()

interface: commandline

data: ADO 2.0

takes selected output from PL.AEprocOrder() and transforms to a batch transfer specification via a field map and transform rules cf
PL.AEprocUpdateBatchVerbbind()

TBD

PL.AEscrubNormalCanon()

<< not used on the response side >>

interface: commandline

data: file handles

scrubber, normalizer, canonicalizer

also generates scrambled (non-predictable) row ids and flags AOLs

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Preliminary ECS hooks anticipated

Preprocess Stage

- inspect Inbox using VBA.PKinboxInspector
 - auto-creates folder structure (previous slide)
 - facilitates auto-sort of items into ORDERS, UNSUBS, UNDELS, HARDS, SOFTS, ADDCHANGE, etc.
 - facilitates manu-sort of items into AC, and exception
- report preparation by TCID via AEProcOrder()
 - produces: OUT_report, EXC_report && EXC_BODY diagnostic report

Processing Stage using VBA.PKResponseProcessor

- for each EXC_
 - inspect, correct, reconcile (via Mailing Table lookups) and commit
 - for each OUT_
 - inspect and commit to report (or not)
- Acceptable UNION of EXC_ && OUT_ -> Reporting, Update Stages { AEProcBatRep() || AEProcUpdateBatVerbind() }
 - Hard exceptions are tagged as such and become Followup RFC's to get additional (critical information)
 - FUP (FUPID -> RFC) tags affect routing; tie-back to HARD exception row in this EXC_report for closure

Response Follow-up Confirmation Stage

- for each non-BOUNCE (ORDERS, UNSUBS, etc.), respond to respondents with an appropriate "confirmation of receipt/action taken" message
- using relevant response template store (templateID)
- this class of response likewise tagged for routing (FUPID -> confirm)

Reporting Stage

- produce order report
 - deliver via fax
 - post to client private web application
 - deliver as formatted batch

Update Stage

- deliver formatted batch to {Verbind, Database} -> sp_???, SQL Executive